



Lower Farm Weekly



Friday 22nd October



Beech Class:

Tyler Achievement
Leo Respect

Cherry Class:

Kaelen Achievement
Freddie Respect
Esmae Achievement

Elder Class:

William Resilience
Dylan Achievement

Attendance

For week beginning 18th October:

Beech Class: 90.5%

Cherry Class: 97.9%

Elder Class: 85.6%

Congratulations Cherry class with an attendance of 97.9%. It would be great to see who will be on top next week.

Please help us to improve our attendance so that children are in school whenever possible to make sure they don't miss out on learning time. We know it has been difficult recently with both chicken pox and coughs/colds which means children are genuinely ill or being asked to self isolate until receiving a negative test result. However, please can I ask everyone to try their best to be in school everyday when they are well enough to be. We have had a number of holiday requests and other absences which mean a number of children's attendance is falling below 95% and 90%. I will be setting up individual meetings after half term to discuss this on an individual basis as they may need further intervention other than school level support. Thank you for your continued support in this important area.

Snacks

As we are now serving hot school dinners, there is no need to send your child to school with additional snacks as there are plenty of choices available during lunch. If you wish, children may bring a healthy snack (piece of fruit or cereal bar) however, school does provide fruit at break times.

Parking for Drop Off and Collection Times

Morning Drop Off 08:35-08:45

Parking is not permitted in the car park (unless special permission has been granted). Cars to enter the drop off lane in front of main entrance. A member of staff will either direct Y1 and Y2 children into school or walk Reception children towards their external entrance to be greeted by staff team. Please note that if using the drop off lane, you must stay in your car and as soon as an adult has helped your child out, you need to drive off to keep the flow going.

Collection - 15:15

No vehicles to enter school for collection (unless special permission has been granted).

Smoking and Vaping on School Site

Can we kindly remind everyone that smoking or vaping is not permitted on the school site. This includes sitting in cars in our car park. Many thanks for your cooperation.

Happy Half Term

Just to say thank you to everyone for their continued support this half term. It has genuinely been amazing to move into our permanent new home and invite you all into school for different events and get to interact with you again. I hope you all have a lovely break and we look forward to seeing you again on Monday 1st November.



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Road safety

Reception and Year 1 were presented with an Achievement Award for taking part in road safety activities this month, Well Done!

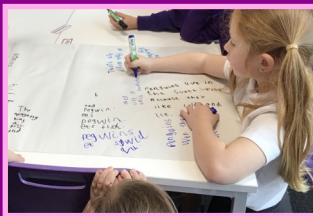


Beech Class

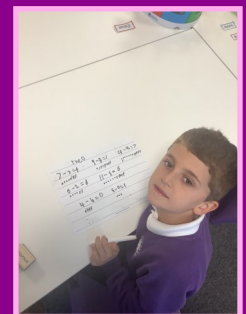
In Beech class this week we have really enjoyed all of our Mathematical learning. We have explored height and made a tower taller than Mr How. We learnt about distance and how far the cars could go. We have learnt about ordering numbers and finding one more. We worked as teams to find the next number in the caterpillars and showed great collaboration. Fabulous learning this week Beech Class.



Cherry Class



This week we have been learning all about penguins and the children have been writing facts about what they already knew and something they have learned. We have also been looking at subtraction and taking away during Maths.



Elder Class

This week Elder class have been learning about Autumn and the lovely things we can do in this season like pumpkin picking and hunting for conkers. We have also been learning about the religion Islam and their creation story, which the children have been so fascinated with. Happy holidays Elder class.





Growing Brighter Futures



Lower Farm Academy is a new primary school in Nuneaton. Our brand new, purpose built site is now open and everyone is welcome to find out what we have been up to so far. Please look at our website and Facebook or contact us for a chat about our school and our admissions process. Hopefully we will have the opportunity to show you around in person on one of the following dates, but you can also contact the school office to organise another viewing if needed:

Date	Time
Wednesday 20 th October	09:30-11:30
Thursday 21 st October	16:30-17:30
Wednesday 17 th November	09:30-11:30
Thursday 18 th November	16:30-17:30
Wednesday 8 th December	09:30-11:30
Thursday 9 th December	16:30-17:30

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